HOUSE No. 1675

By Mr. Bosley of North Adams, petition of Daniel E. Bosley and others relative to electric street poles. Telecommunications, Utilities and Energy.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PETITION OF:

Daniel E. Bosley Bruce E. Tarr Pamela P. Resor Denis E. Guyer Joyce A. Spiliotis Bradley H. Jones, Jr. Stephen M. Brewer Carl M. Sciortino, Jr. **David Paul Linsky** Christine E. Canavan Deborah D. Blumer Richard T. Moore John W. Scibak Cory Atkins

Douglas W. Petersen William Smitty Pignatelli

In the Year Two Thousand and Five.

AN ACT RELATIVE TO ELECTRIC STREET POLES.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

- Section 34B of Chapter 164 of the General Laws, as appearing 1
- 2 in the 2002 Official Edition, is hereby amended by adding after
- the word 'pole;' in line 5 the following:—
- 4 "Provided further, that a city or town may enforce this section
- 5 by the enactment of a local ordinance or bylaw prohibiting double
- poles beyond the ninety days authorized by this section, violation
- of which may be punishable by a fine not to exceed a maximum of
- one thousand dollars per occurrence."